



ORDER
USE AND CAMPING RESTRICTIONS

NORSE PEAK AND CLEARWATER WILDERNESS
AND ADJACENT LANDS ASSOCIATED WITH THE PACIFIC CREST TRAIL
MT. BAKER-SNOQUALMIE AND WENATCHEE NATIONAL FORESTS

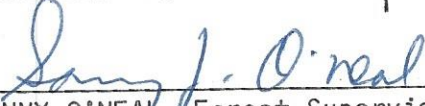
In order to protect the vegetation adjacent to lakes and trails, to reduce soil compaction and erosion in heavily used areas, and to enhance the primitive character and resource adjacent to or within these areas (further defined in Exhibit A & B attached) located within the Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie and Wenatchee National Forests: (1) Norse Peak Wilderness, (2) Clearwater Wilderness, (3) Nonwilderness lands falling within 100 feet of Goat Lake, Placer Lake, and Sheep Lake, and (4) Nonwilderness lands north of Chinook Pass to the Norse Peak Wilderness boundary and within 100 feet of the Pacific Crest National Scenic Trail, THE FOLLOWING ACTS, LISTED BELOW, ARE PROHIBITED pursuant to 36 CFR 261.50 (a), until further notice:

- (1) Camping within 100 feet slope distance from the shoreline of any lake and/or the Pacific Crest National Scenic Trail EXCEPT at Echo Lake and Lost Lake within Norse Peak Wilderness. 36 CFR 261.58(e).
- (2) Building, maintaining, or using a campfire, except self-contained, carry-in devices such as stoves, within the Summit Lake Basin within Clearwater Wilderness, 36 CFR 261.52a.

Pursuant to 36 CFR Section 261.50(e), the following persons are exempt from clauses one through four of this Order.

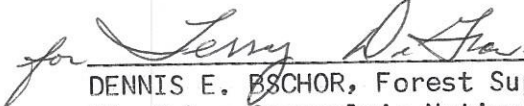
- (1) Persons with a permit or written authorization specifically authorizing the otherwise prohibited act or omission.
- (2) Any Federal, State, or local officer, or member of an organized rescue or fire fighting force in the performance of an official emergency duty.

Done at Wenatchee, Washington, this 8th day of MAY, 1996.



SONNY O'NEAL, Forest Supervisor
Wenatchee National Forest

Done at Mountlake Terrace, this 17 day of MAY, 1996.



DENNIS E. ESCHOR, Forest Supervisor
Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest

Violation of these prohibitions is punishable by a fine of not more than \$5000.00 or imprisonment for not more than six (6) months or both. Title 16 USC, Section 551.

ORDER # 302 ~~173~~. This order ^{Caring for the Land and Serving People} rescinds and supersedes all previous orders relating to the items addressed here, including order #173 and 05-07-88-001.



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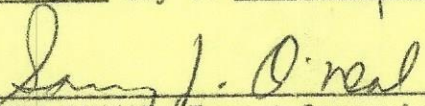
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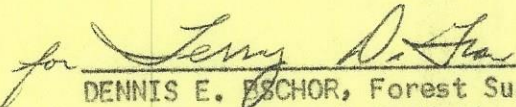
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Done at Wenatchee, Washington, this 8TH day of May, 1996.


SONNY O'NEAL, Forest Supervisor
Wenatchee National Forest

Done at Mountlake Terrace, this 17 day of May, 1996.


DENNIS E. PASCHOR, Forest Supervisor
Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest

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ORDER # ~~173-9~~. This order rescinds and supersedes all previous orders relating to the items addressed here, including order #173 and 05-07-88-001.

ORDER
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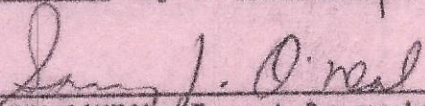
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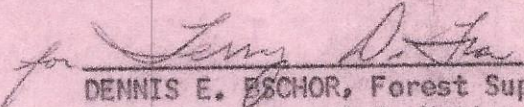
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United States
Department of
Agriculture

Forest Service National Forest
Wenatchee
Naches, WA

Naches Ranger District
10061 Hwy 12
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509-653-2205 (TTY)

File Code: 2320

Date: MARCH 27, 1996

Subject: Revision of Present Wilderness Camping order for Norse Peak,
Clearwater Wildernesses, and adjacent backcountry areas.

To: Forest Supervisor, Wenatchee National Forest
Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest

In an effort to simplify Wilderness orders for greater public acceptance and to update and standardize wording for Wilderness orders in the Southern Washington Cascades, the Naches and White River Ranger Districts are submitting this order for your approval. By combining clauses from two separate Wilderness orders, we are eliminating a companion order. Our objective is to standardize and condense Washington Wilderness orders as much as possible.

This proposed order also includes 100 foot camping setbacks on non-wilderness lands at Goat Lake, Placer Lake, and Sheep Lake as well as PCNST locations between Chinook Pass and the Norse Peak Wilderness. These areas have received heavy recreational impacts and our proposal seeks to address these concerns.

The Pacific Crest Trail camping setback addressed in this order is reduced from the present 200 feet to 100 feet. In addition to standardizing this wording with adjacent Wildernesses, I feel that the present 200 foot setback is not realistic due to the ridge top terrain accompanying much of the PCNST corridor. In addition, the 200 foot PCNST setback confused users in its relationship to the 100 foot lake shore camping setback. A consistent camping setback of 100 feet will simplify this concern, make field administration more realistic, and meet the intent of this restriction.

A final consideration with this order is the order numbering. As most users know our present order by its number (#173), it will be confusing to change this number with the replacement order. We suggest that Forests number this replacement order with an alphabetical listing. For this reason, We have given "#173-B" to this order (or 95- ___/173B). The practice of retaining an order number has been used with the four Forest order #141 and proved successful. In addition to Public understanding, the alphabet listing helps field units track an order as it is amended or improved.

Sincerely,

JAMES M. PEÑA
District Ranger
Naches District

enc: proposed order
administrative attachment
rescinding form for updated orders.

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EXHIBIT A
AREA DEFINITIONS

CAMPING OFFSET RESTRICTIONS

- (1) Camping within 100 feet slope distance from the shoreline of the following non-wilderness lakes:
 - (A) **Goat Lake**,
on the Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest:
Sec. 7 T. 17 N., R. 11 E., W.M.
 - (B) **Placer Lake**,
on Snoqualmie National Forest,
administered by Wenatchee National Forest
Sec. 6, T. 16 N., R. 11 E., W.M.
 - (C) **Sheep Lake**,
on Snoqualmie National Forest,
administered by the Wenatchee National Forest
Sec. 12, T. 16 N., R. 10 E., W.M.
- (2) Camping within 100 feet slope distance from the **Pacific Crest National Scenic Trail** at non-wilderness locations between Chinook Pass and the Norse Peak Wilderness boundary,
on Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest
and administered in part by the Wenatchee National Forest
Sec. 1, 11, 12, 13, & 14, T. 16 N., R. 11 E., W.M. and
Sec 36, (S. 1/2) & 31, T. 17 N., R. 11 E., W.M.

CAMPING OFFSET EXCEPTIONS

- (1) Exceptions to 100 foot slope distance camping restriction within Norse Peak Wilderness at the following lakes
 - (A) **Echo Lake**: Sec. 16 & 21, T. 18 N., R. 11 E., W.M.
 - (B) **Lost Lake**: Sec. 18, T. 18 N., R. 11 E., W.M.

AREA FIRE RESTRICTIONS

- (4) Building, maintaining, attending or using a campfire, except self contained, carry-in devices such as stoves within **Summit Lake Basin** within the Clearwater Wilderness:

Sec. 17, 18, 19 & 20, T. 18 N., R. 8 E., W.M.

ADMINISTRATIVE ATTACHMENT

AREAS COVERED UNDER THIS ORDER

AREA	NATIONAL FOREST	RANGER DISTRICT
NORSE PEAK WILDERNESS	MT. BAKER-SNOQUALMIE WENATCHEE	WHITE RIVER NACHES
CLEARWATER WILDERNESS	MT. BAKER-SNOQUALMIE	WHITE RIVER
GOAT LAKE PLACER AND SHEEP LAKES	MT. BAKER-SNOQUALMIE WENATCHEE	WHITE RIVER NACHES
PACIFIC CREST NATIONAL SCENIC TRAIL BETWEEN CHINOOK PASS AND NORSE PEAK WILDERNESS	WENATCHEE MT. BAKER-SNOQUALMIE	NACHES WHITE RIVER

ENFORCEMENT AND REVISION PLAN

This enforcement and revision plan accompanies the combined Wilderness camping order #173-B for the Washington State Cascade Wildernesses between the Chinook Pass and Naches Pass Pass to facilitate its coordination with adjacent areas and Wildernesses on National Forest lands within Mt. Baker-Snoqualmie National Forest and Wenatchee National Forest.

The following procedure should be followed in presenting these orders to the public and in making changes to or updating specific clauses. These directions are entered here as a guide to facilitate coordination and are not binding directions to field units.

1-Major trailheads will be posted to inform the public of these regulations. It is not a requirement to post this closure order. Other information sheets explaining the regulations may be used and are encouraged. Signed Forest orders will be made available at applicable Ranger Stations.

2-Local newspapers and user groups should be notified yearly of these regulations.

3-This order should be enforced on an "as observed" system of field contacts. Violation compliance check frequency will depend on the management level of individual areas. Action for problem areas will be identified in annual action plans.

4-Proposed order changes should be drafted to allow adequate public notification for any use season, and to avoid mid-season changes. Proposed changes shall be drafted in November of each year and routed to other concerned Forests for comment by December 1. The redrafted order should be ready for Supervisor review and approval by February 1 of the applicable year.

WENATCHEE NATIONAL FOREST ORDER ROUTING FORM

<u>Meg P. Thayer</u> District Staff Officer	<u>3/13/96</u> Date	_____ Remarks
<u>Bernie H. McKe</u> District Staff Officer	<u>3/12/96</u> Date	_____ Remarks
<u>Ernest D. McMillin</u> Dist. LE Coordinator	<u>3/12/96</u> Date	_____ Remarks
<u>Rebecca G. Galt</u> District Ranger	<u>3-12-96</u> Date	_____ Remarks
<u>A. Elton Brown</u> Forest Staff Officer	<u>3/12/96</u> Date	<u>I support these orders.</u> Remarks
<u>Paul Hart</u> Forest Staff Officer	<u>3/12/96</u> Date	<u>Good info approach</u> Remarks
_____ Forest POA Officer	_____ Date	_____ Remarks
<u>Ron Dunn</u> Forest Special Agent	<u>3-12-96</u> Date	_____ Remarks

WENATCHEE NATIONAL FOREST ORDER ROUTING FORM

Barry H. Huffer
District Staff Officer

11/7/00
Date

Road Manager
Remarks

Robert D. Stod
District Staff Officer

11/7/00
Date

Asst District Ranger
Remarks

Ernest D. McMillin
Dist. LE Coordinator

11/2/00
Date

Remarks

Sam H. Huffer
District Ranger

11/7/00
Date

Remarks

Rehul Smith
Forest Staff Officer

1-17-01
Date

Remarks

Forest Staff Officer

Date

Remarks

Mark J. Amos
Forest ~~PAO~~ Officer

01/16/01
Date

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Rob Dunn
Forest Special Agent

01-16-01
Date

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